

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

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**DOCKET NO. 2009-479-WS – Application of United Utility Companies, Inc. for
Adjustment of Rates and Charges and Modification to Certain Terms and Conditions for
the Provision of Water and Sewer Service**

**NOTICE OF HEARING AND PREFILE TESTIMONY DEADLINES
REGARDING REMAND FROM
THE SUPREME COURT OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

On February 22, 2012, the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (Commission) issued Order No. 2012-158 which addressed a remand from the South Carolina Supreme Court (Supreme Court) regarding the instant case. The Supreme Court remanded this matter to the Commission for consideration of the proposed settlement agreement by the parties. The Commission instructed its Staff to schedule the matter for hearing, and directed the parties to provide financial information adjusted for the settlement including, “as adjusted” and “after increase” amounts for operating revenue, operating expenses, net income for return, rate base, interest expense, return on equity calculation, return on rate base calculation, and operating margin calculation. Additionally, the Commission stated that this information must be furnished prior to the hearing in pre-filed testimony and exhibits.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Commission will conduct a hearing regarding the Supreme Court’s Order on Remand on **Thursday, June 14, 2012, beginning at 10:30 a.m.**, before the Commission in the Commission’s Hearing Room, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

Pursuant to 26 S. C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-845(C) (Supp.2010):

1. **United Utility Companies, Inc. (United)** must prefile with the Commission 1 copy of the direct testimony and exhibits of the witnesses it intends to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before **May 3, 2012** (must be post-marked on or before this date).
2. **All Other Parties of Record** must prefile with the Commission 1 copy of the direct testimony and exhibits of the witnesses they intend to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before **May 17, 2012** (must be post-marked on or before this date).
3. **United** must prefile with the Commission 1 copy of the **Rebuttal Testimony** and exhibits of the witnesses it intends to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before **May 24, 2012** (Rebuttal testimony and exhibits must be in the offices of the Commission and in the hands of the parties on this date).

4. **All Other Parties of Record** filing **Surrebuttal Testimony** must prefile with the Commission 1 copy of the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses they intend to present and serve the testimony and exhibits of the witnesses on all Parties of Record on or before **May 31, 2012** (Surrebuttal testimony and exhibits must be in the offices of the Commission and in the hands of the parties on this date).

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